

## Quality Of Sewage Major Factor To Councillors

Critics of the Brentwood Bay sewerage scheme have obtained considerable press and radio publicity, noted acting-Reeve C.W. Mollard at the meeting of Central Saanich council last Monday.

Councillor A.M. Galbraith referred to "unfounded and irresponsible condemnation," and insisted that the key word "treated" has not been given due weight by critics.

"There is a vast difference between treated and untreated sewage, a fact that is being completely ignored by the people who are screaming the loudest against this very necessary plan," said the councillor.

"Judging from their allegations that the inlet will be turned into a 'pot of soup' one would think that the highly qualified engineers who are advising council on this matter are a bunch of sinister despoilers intent on laying waste to our natural heritage and poisoning us all," he declared.

Saying that the verbiage is the case, Councillor Galbraith continued, "despoiling and poisoning are going on right now because of dangerous septic tank seepage into the Bay from dwellings all around. Something must be done to arrest this pollution before it reaches the critical, and perhaps even the epidemic stage."

In a letter to R.G. Lee, T.G. Denny, spokesman for a group of 15 objectors to the scheme as submitted to the Pollution Control Board, referred to a report in The Review. A quotation to the effect that the plan is in accord with the Greater Victoria area sewerage study was challenged.

"The proposed installation will in no way, shape or form comply with the recommendations contained in the sewerage study," charged Mr. Denny.

Reeve Lee in his reply suggested that the newspaper report would have been more accurate had the words "in general" been added.

It was said that both the letter and the reply have been referred to the project engineers.

In his brief, the Pollution Control Board, Mr. Denny expressed the sympathy of his group to the pressing need for improvement in the Brentwood Bay area, and the dilemma presented through existing economics. Quoting from the technical detail contained therein he noted that currents within the Inlet are usually small and variable, and because of the limited extent of the flushing mechanisms within the Inlet it is unlikely that raw sewage could be discharged without nuisance.

Plan A of the report providing for a primary plant located at Sluggott Point was supported, with a 1700 foot outfall into Brentwood Bay, bringing the discharge into 33 fathoms of water in keeping with the 200 foot depth stated in the report.

"Should an alternate location to the recommended outlet and treatment plant at Sluggott Point

be proposed, then we recommend that the position of the outfall be carefully positioned to achieve the same depth and water movement," it was urged.

It was stated that an outfall placed next to the B.C. Power property in the ravine would appear to require an outfall pipeline of some 4,500 feet.

"If Plan A cannot be followed, and if this 4,500 foot alternate pipeline is not practical, then we think, as laymen, the least acceptable depth would be that to be found in 25 fathoms beyond the 14 foot shoal which lies off the Ferry landing and extending towards Willis Point," it was observed.

Commenting further on the municipal scheme, Mr. Denny said "Many residents have become aware of the strong odour in the area surrounding the Lake Hill sewage plant. To place the Brentwood plant in the gully next to the power station would bring it into a closely populated area and in a cul-de-sac where there is often a poor flow of air...this position again is not that recommended in the master sewerage study."

"It is a compromise plan, to be sure. It is also the most economical plan, the one that will inflict the least pain financially on the taxpayers," remarked Councillor Galbraith.

He said that the more desirable alternate plan to carry the sewage across the peninsula to tidal waters perfect for disposal would cost over twice as much at this time.

"Brentwood Bay population is roughly 1,500. When it reaches 4,000, and that of Central Saanich has increased proportionately, we should be able to handle the more expensive plan because of increased revenue," he stated.

The proposed treatment plant will not then be abandoned, but will continue as a part of the overall sewage system. "The money will not 'go down the drain'," said the councillor.

"The reason why a conversion to fertilizer plant is not feasible is twofold," he explained; "first, we do not have that kind of money, and secondly, we don't have enough sewage."

He said that on present population figures the amount of solids for discharge into the Bay will be only 20-lbs daily.

"This is hardly sufficient for production of vast quantities of fertilizer, and it makes nonsense of the idea that the discharge will pollute the entire area and kill off the fish," said Councillor Galbraith.

"Let me again stress that the reason this system of disposal has been proposed at all is to stop the pollution of Brentwood Bay, not to start it. It is painfully obvious to anyone who examines the drainage ditches leading into the Inlet that effluent is now being carried to the beaches, contaminating them and the water and making it unfit for swimming or anything else," he noted.

"We have no alternative; this is the only way to stop the pollution of Brentwood Bay, not to start it. It is painfully obvious to anyone who examines the drainage ditches leading into the Inlet that effluent is now being carried to the beaches, contaminating them and the water and making it unfit for swimming or anything else," he noted.

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seepage has to be stopped. Surely the opinion of qualified engineers who have been paid to study and make their recommendations should be given more credence than critics who live so far away as Seattle, and who do not have to pay for the proposed sewerage project," urged Councillor Galbraith.

He pointed his argument with a quotation from the report of the consultant engineers: "The treatment proposed is an extended aeration system that has little or no odour and gives a relatively high type of treatment. No sludge is removed from the plant; instead it is continually circulated and aerated until it passes over with the effluent. With salt water disposal this is an excellent and simple method."

Councillor Galbraith noted that the decision rests with the Pollution Control Board who may require certain changes. If so, they will be explained to the taxpayers at a public meeting, if this is the demand.

Full information as to what the plant will do, its position, and the direction and length of the outlet, also the cost will be available.

"Nothing will be done without the taxpayers' approval. All Council asks is that the taxpayers study all the pros and cons, and not be unduly influenced by those who cry 'wolf' irresponsibly," he concluded.

## POSTAGE IS PROBLEM TO TRUSTEES

Routine information is scarcely appreciated when mailed to recipients with insufficient postage prepaid.

Saanich School District trustees last week voted to request the Metropolitan Health Board to discontinue sending copies of the minutes of proceedings to every trustee. Two sets only will be required in future, one for the school board delegate and one for the board room table.

Trustee J. M. Kennard said "It is six cents every throw. I sent them back and the last two have had the correct postage."

Trustees Mrs. H.M. Parrott and George Bown said that they would miss their copies, but the resolution carried by four votes to two.

## PENNIES USEFUL

A situation where pennies are used as fuses when a kettile is boiled was disclosed to Saanich School Board at last week's meeting.

"Proper power sockets are provided, so there is no reason for using 15-amp outlets," said Buildings Superintendent Bryan Shaw.

Trustees were discussing a submission of Deep Cove Parents Auxiliary relating to the general condition of the old building of Deep Cove elementary school. "As soon as possible, new facilities will be provided. I would hesitate to recommend the spending of money on the old part," said Mr. Shaw.

## Aylard Has Figures

Councillor G.R. Aylard reported to North Saanich council on Monday evening that he has received from Alderman W.W.

Gardner of Sidney the figures of Alderman J.E. Boshor on costs of a proposed amalgamation of the two municipalities. Mr. Aylard is North Saanich's amalgamation study committee head. "I am now studying Mr. Boshor's figures and will have a further report to make to council," said Mr. Aylard.

## Warm Welcome



Among those in the official reception committee for the arrival of Haile Selassie of Ethiopia at International Airport last week was North Saanich Reeve J.B. Cumming. Introducing Reeve Cumming to the Ethiopian leader is B.C. Lieutenant-Governor George R. Pearkes. Behind Reeve Cumming with the chain of office is Mayor Hugh Stephen of Victoria.

## Chamber Blasts Sidney Council

"Like a Sunday School picnic," chorused five senior members of the Sidney and North Saanich Chamber of Commerce Monday night as they disgustedly walked out of the special budget meeting held by Sidney town council.

In a prepared statement drawn up afterwards, the Chamber contended that businessmen in the town were getting a raw deal from Council.

The way the chamber sees it, Aldermen J.E. Boshor, Halsey Rasmussen and Norma Sealey intend to treat the money collected from the business tax as a general revenue tax, while Ald. W.W. Gardner "in struggling against formidable odds in behalf of the businessmen and community deserves congratulations."

What is council doing with the money collected through the business tax, the Chamber wanted to know.

"We have been informed by council that these monies were to be spent on such items as additional and better street lights and street cleaning. We know for a fact that particular areas in the business district have not been caressed by a broom for the past two years."

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## I Should Be Wary Of Sewers Argues Reeve Cumming

Many now living will never enjoy the privilege of using the sewer system which may be built some day to serve North Saanich. This is the conclusion of Reeve J.B. Cumming who reported to his council on Monday evening on the results of his own study of the sewerage plan for the Saanich Peninsula.

As usual, the reeve read from a prepared statement. It indicated that major sewerage construction is not likely to be required before the year 2015. This remark prompted Councillor J.H. Wilson to observe that North Saanich might have a different council by that year. Councillor Neil North demurred, indicating that she fully expected to be enjoying a full life in North Saanich by that distant date.

Following is the text of the reeve's report:

"In regard to the sewerage study and the questions being

asked, I felt it necessary to do a little studying over the week end on this subject. Following are a few gleanings from the master report and the various reports of the engineers on detail and finance.

"Sewers are not practical or economical until the population of an area reaches four persons per acre. The overall picture then would suggest that large mains as proposed on the east side would require a population of upwards of 35,000. This will not be for a day or two. In smaller or more heavily populated areas than the average, such as Ardmore, the population would have to increase by at least four times; Deep Cove at least three times before temporary sewerage systems are necessary. Deep Cove, even under the master plan, would be a separate installation and solely within the jurisdiction of the municipality.

"In general then, the indication of the sewerage study is that the large sewer main to serve the east and south will not be required in the term of the sewerage study -- that is in the next 50 years -- or the year 2015. The Deep Cove sewer they place in a 25 year span -- that is 1992. All these things are general and could be upset by large scale subdivisions or such changes.

"However the survey does say that if adopted, it would require in the next 10 years certain works in Sidney to which we would be expected to contribute as the pipes and pumps would be designed to serve our future needs as well as their own. It is recommended that the Ocean Avenue sewer outlet be extended 1,400 feet, division, etc., be installed. These units, all of course within Sidney, would be designed large enough to pick up lines ultimately from North Saanich and we, for this reason, would be required to join in the cost. The second phase, after 1991, calls for extension into North Saanich to pick up the line on the airport at present discharging into Patricia Bay.

"To summarize the situation, we will have some areas to provide with sewers on a local basis in the next 20 years but the master plan is well beyond the end of this century. If we are to remain a separate entity, I suggest we approach warily any responsibility for the provision of sewer mains in the next century. With the present advances in science, I would question very much whether we will be disposing of our wastes in the next half century by using valuable water to flush it to the sea." The reeve's report was accepted unanimously.

## Budget Bylaw Given Readings This Thursday

Sidney town council Monday night gave first reading to this year's budget which is worth approximately \$300,000 in income and expenditures.

A school mill rate increase, tentatively set at 4 1/2 mills, was also set down at Monday's meeting.

Further readings to the budget bylaw are to be given this Thursday at 7.30 p.m.

## AGING BARN DEFENDED

An aging barn on Emard Terrace, the property of A.W. Jones, was the subject of discussion by members of North Saanich council on Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. N.D. White wrote to complain of the appearance of the structure which they considered an eyesore in a nice residential district.

Councillor D.R. Cook sprang to the defence of the barn. It has been there more than 20 years and is still used, he contended. He argued that council should not direct that it be razed. Asked by Councillor T.C.M. Davis, the reeve ruled that the barn did not violate any regulations.

Agreeing that the matter was beyond the jurisdiction of council, the letter was received and filed.

## Loose Doors

Problems with Sidney's municipal truck were discussed by town council Monday night. "The doors aren't closing tightly," said Mayor Arthur Freeman.

"However, I've told our works foreman he'll just have to slam them until we can afford to have them properly repaired," His Worship added.

## CENTRAL SAANICH MILL RATE IS 45.67

Central Saanich council last Monday approved a mill rate of 45.67, compared with a rate of 41.15 last year, an increase of 4.52 mills. Product of the school mill on current assessments is \$9,091.10. The general purposes mill raises \$8,668.03.

In the final analysis it will be seen that the rising costs of education are directly responsible for all but one-half mill of the increased Central Saanich taxation.

The municipality must raise \$273,600.66 for schools, representing the product of 30.10 mills, an increase of 4.02 over the rate for 1966.

Total amount required this year for municipal administration is \$278,608.23, of which sum \$134,961.23 is in excess of general revenue and must be raised by taxation.

Council has held the mill rate for general purposes and debt charges to 14.94, an exactly one-half mill increase on last year.

The following tabulation illustrates the considerable difference in the growth of municipal and schools expenditures in recent years:

| Year: | Schools: | General: | Debt: |
|-------|----------|----------|-------|
| 1962  | 17.6     | 12.5     | -     |
| 1963  | 21.0     | 14.0     | -     |
| 1964  | 21.15    | 15.71    | .64   |
| 1965  | 24.41    | 16.12    | .23   |
| 1966  | 26.08    | 14.40    | .67   |
| 1967  | 30.10    | 14.94    | .63   |

The following is the meteorological report for the week ending April 23, furnished by the Dominion Experimental Station.

|                                 |
|---------------------------------|
| Maximum tem. (April 24)-----60  |
| Minimum tem. (April 26)-----33  |
| Minimum on the grass-----28     |
| Precipitation (inches)-----0.62 |
| 1967 Precipitation-----16.37    |
| Sunshine (hours)-----40.6       |

SIDNEY  
Supplied by the Meteorological division, Department of Transport, for the week ending April 30.

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|---------------------------------------|
| Maximum tem. (April 24)-----61        |
| Minimum tem. (April 26)-----32        |
| Moan temperature-----45.8             |
| Precipitation: rainfall-----.51       |
| 1967 Precipitation (inches)-----16.06 |

## Weekly Tide Table

These times are Pacific Standard

|                                       |
|---------------------------------------|
| May 4 - - - - 2.20 a.m. - - - - 10.4  |
| May 4 - - - - 9.00 a.m. - - - - 6.0   |
| May 4 - - - - 2.00 p.m. - - - - 7.0   |
| May 4 - - - - 7.25 a.m. - - - - 5.3   |
| May 5 - - - - 2.30 a.m. - - - - 10.1  |
| May 5 - - - - 9.15 a.m. - - - - 5.3   |
| May 5 - - - - 3.15 p.m. - - - - 8.0   |
| May 5 - - - - 8.15 a.m. - - - - 5.0   |
| May 6 - - - - 2.45 a.m. - - - - 9.0   |
| May 6 - - - - 9.35 a.m. - - - - 4.6   |
| May 6 - - - - 4.15 p.m. - - - - 8.5   |
| May 6 - - - - 9.00 p.m. - - - - 6.8   |
| May 7 - - - - 3.05 a.m. - - - - 9.8   |
| May 7 - - - - 10.00 a.m. - - - - 3.8  |
| May 7 - - - - 5.10 p.m. - - - - 9.1   |
| May 7 - - - - 9.45 p.m. - - - - 7.3   |
| May 8 - - - - 3.05 a.m. - - - - 9.0   |
| May 8 - - - - 10.20 a.m. - - - - 3.0  |
| May 8 - - - - 5.55 p.m. - - - - 9.6   |
| May 8 - - - - 10.15 p.m. - - - - 8.0  |
| May 9 - - - - 3.30 a.m. - - - - 9.9   |
| May 9 - - - - 10.45 a.m. - - - - 2.4  |
| May 9 - - - - 6.45 p.m. - - - - 10.1  |
| May 9 - - - - 11.10 p.m. - - - - 8.6  |
| May 10 - - - - 3.40 a.m. - - - - 10.0 |
| May 10 - - - - 11.05 a.m. - - - - 1.9 |
| May 10 - - - - 7.30 p.m. - - - - 10.6 |
| May 10 - - - - 11.55 p.m. - - - - 9.1 |

## Watercross Warning

Dangers attending the gathering of watercross from roadside ditches are not fully appreciated, states Dr. J.L.M. Whitbread, senior medical officer of the Metropolitan Health Board.

It has been brought to his attention that watercross is being harvested from the ditch on Kaitling Cross Road adjacent to West Saanich Road, a practice that is discouraged for very good reasons.

Watercross is a carrier of the liver fluke, a dangerous source of disease common in China and Japan and not known in this country. Where there is possible contamination from either farm animal runoff or pollution from faulty septic tank operation, the health danger of obtaining edible vegetation from these sources is very great, said Dr. Whitbread.

## WATER OFF

With the exception of the Dean Park works, water supplied by Sidney Waterworks District will be shut off at midnight Thursday May 4 until about 3.30 a.m. Friday, May 5.

Purpose of the stoppage is for replacement of mains.

## Chamber to Write Federal Government

Sidney and North Saanich Chamber of Commerce decided at its monthly meeting last week to write to the Department of Public Works concerning a proposed breakwater near the end of Beacon Avenue.

The decision was taken after W.J. Larnick and D.W. Ruffe of the Chamber attended a meeting with federal transport department officials at which a breakwater was discussed. Dr. T.G. Howe, head of the government body which is studying small harbours around Vancouver Island, is to send a report on the situation to transport minister Pickersgill.

Other business discussed at the chamber meeting at which 16 attended, included the school tax question and the new business tax bylaw which became effective Monday.

The chamber showed concern about the increase in school taxes, but decided to leave it in the hands of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities which is studying it in detail. Exception taken to the new business bylaw concerned the fact that there appeared to be an anomaly between the fee charged on hotels, motels and trailer courts, as compared to apartment houses. No action was taken on the matter.

## REWARD

Local vandals, watch out!

A private citizen has offered a reward for information leading to the conviction of the culprits responsible for the vandalism of the trees outside the Medical Arts Building on Beacon Avenue.

The trees, more shrubs, were put in a month ago at expense to the owners of the building.

Last week they were partially cut down.

"We are very concerned about the damage to and theft of ornamental trees in the community," Mayor A.W. Freeman told The Review this week.

"The recent act of vandalism has led a private citizen to offer a reward to anyone giving information leading to the summary conviction of the persons responsible."

"The information should be brought to the municipal clerk, A.M. Ferner, or the R.C.M.P."

The mayor's reference to theft of trees concerned the loss of some trees some time ago from the vicinity of the town hall.

## Assessment

Sidney's payment to the Capital Region Planning Board's budget is an assessment and not a donation, town council was reminded at Monday night's meeting.

"If it was a donation there wouldn't be an amount to discuss," commented Alderman Hans Rasmussen.

## CREW PRAISED

North Saanich's road crew is alert and on the job, reported Councillor F.C. Adams on Monday evening to council. A large tree had recently fallen across Tallow Road. Workers were on the job promptly, diverted traffic, and cut away the obstacle. He praised their efforts warmly.



## Art Centre Show Ready

Saanich Peninsula Art Centre closes another interesting and busy year May 6 and 7 when Reeve J.B. Cumming of North Saanich opens the 14th annual Arts and Crafts Exhibition at Sanscha Hall.

The theme "Saanich Peninsula 1967" will be featured in the Sketching Contest "Saanich As It Is Today". This theme is also carried out by invitations this year to artists residing in Saanich including: John Andre, Maxwell Bates, Michael Morris, Myfawny Pavelic, Molly Privett, and Jack Ritchel. Guest craftsmen are Commander Soulsby, Dr. Wm. Leach and Dr. A.E. Carlson.

Herbert Siebner, the guest artist, will exhibit paintings and crafts. Other paintings to be hung are those of club members, invited artists and examples from University of Victoria, Victoria School of Art, Oak Bay and Victoria High Schools. Art groups of Vancouver Island will also be represented. The Oak Bay Art Club is hosting a group of visitors from the Clallam Bay Art Group, of the State of Washington.

The winning drawings and paintings from the "Schools of Saanich Contest" will be on display with the C. Thomas awards being presented by Mrs. C. Thomas. The young artists from the ten schools have shown remarkable originality both in subject and technique making a startling contribution to the show.

Their enthusiasm ensures future members for the S.P.A.C. and spurs the present members on in their efforts to raise the funds necessary to administer the scholarships given to club protégés. Assisting young artists in all branches of artistic endeavour is the aim of the Centre.

Two of the pupils of the Victoria School of Art guided by Principal David Anderson will have a display of their recent work. Bruce Wright, protégé of the S.P.A.C. and Paul Bishop star pupil of the school who has had great success with recent exhibits.

There will be examples of experimental and three dimensional works by many students. Featuring design and drawing this year should prove a fascinating addition to the art show. There is an increasing interest in this new school of art which is already receiving requests for art registrations.

Always a feature attraction of the Art Show will be the many demonstrations of these craftsmen: weaving, Mollie Townsend; enamel on copper, Peggy Avery; crewel embroidery, Peggy Bartholomew; leather, Iris Godwin; pottery, D. Hadlund; ceramics, Vi Morse; woodcuts, Eva Weil; handwrought silver and intarsia will also be demonstrated. Instant portraits by M. Metrakos. Louise Page will show Batik and example of which is in the art

exhibition of the Canadian Pavilion at Expo.

In this centennial year the President, Mrs. A. (Florence) Smith, and the convenor, Mrs. Wm. Newton, with their committee members Mrs. A.D.J. Pitts, Mrs. A.C.M. Davy, past president Mrs. R. McGrath, Mrs. C.F. Swannell, Mrs. Beth Ross, Mrs. C. Thomas, Mrs. H.G. Preiswerck, Mrs. C.F. Hunt, Mrs. Avis Rasmussen, Mrs. F. Fowler, Mrs. A. Steele, Mrs. Louise Page Lancaster, wish all viewers a pleasant visit to the exhibition.

## Stan Smith to Head Deep Cove Owners

Stan Smith was elected president of the Deep Cove Property Owners Association at the organization's annual meeting last week.

Vice-president is J.S. Clark, directors include Dave Davies, A.R. Foster, A. Freely, Mrs. J.L. Hinton, G.P. Jackson, Mrs. W. Kynaston, Col. H.J. Lake, and C. Hackett. All were elected by acclamation.

Outgoing president is J.S. Clark.

Following adjournment of the meeting a discussion was held on the proposed amalgamation of Sidney and North Saanich. No decision was taken concerning the matter, except that the new directorate was requested to get all the facts it could on the subject and advise the membership.

## Beatrice Chappell Leaving

By Madeline Till

Many friends met at the home of Mrs. Russell Simpson, Birch Road in Deep Cove, Sunday April 23, for a farewell party for Mrs. Beatrice Chappell.

Mrs. Chappell is living in Toronto. After tea and refreshments she was presented with two flight suitcases and a beautiful card painted by Mrs. Jean Dinsdale-Young. Also present was Mrs. Eileen Barton who was welcomed to Deep Cove. Mrs. Barton, husband John and son Robert will move into the Chappell home.

Beatrice Chappell, who came here as Mrs. Lisle 34 years ago, will be greatly missed, as much for her musical talent as for her winning personality. She taught

music for 30 years, and also served as pianist and accompanist for local entertainments.

Her first husband, Jack Lisle, was a professional singer and frequently sang for the Canadian Legion. He was much in demand for concerts and private musical evenings.

Some years after the death of Mr. Lisle, she married Dick Chappell, a New Zealander, who was loved and respected by all for his upright character, philosophical mind and quiet personal charm. Since his death in 1964 Beatrice Chappell has felt increasingly drawn to her family in the East. She has five sisters, a brother and a number of nephews and nieces.

The following poem in the form of an acrostic was inscribed on a card presented to Mrs. Chappell:

Beyond the sea, the mountains and the plains,  
East of Vancouver Island's paradise,  
Away from peaceful walks down wooded lanes  
To far Toronto soon our Beatrice flies.  
Reluctantly, we take her by the hand  
In friendship, wishing her a fond farewell,  
Conceal our sorrow, as she leaves this land  
En route to pastures new, to cast her spell!

Come, let us sing her praises! We can say  
Her music sweet did soothe the savage breast,  
And swept all grief and killing care away,  
Producing joy in this isle of the West.  
Perhaps one day, she'll take an aeroplane,  
Escape the city, sail across the sea.  
Let God be with her till we meet again.  
Long life and happiness to our dear Bea!



BEATRICE CHAPPELL

## Jill Cowan Designer of Sidney Float

Jill Cowan has been named as the designer of the float carrying the Sidney Queen and Princesses in the Victoria Day Parade May 22 in Victoria.

Miss Cowan was the very capable designer of the recent production of the Peninsula Players, "Quality Street". She herself is a former Sidney Princess, so is quite aware of the necessity for comfort for the local royalty, as well as the beauty for the viewers.

Frank Spear was named to see to the building of the float and he says preparations are going well. However, he says he is

## Distinguished Musician Is Visitor Here

Dr. Francis Jackson, Organist and Master of the Music of York Minster in England was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gray Campbell, 10901 Madrona Drive, for three days last week. The eminent organist is making a second extended concert tour of North America, and his recital on the Hill, Norman and Beard organ at Christ Church Cathedral, Victoria, last Wednesday made a profound impression.

Included in his program was the magnificent Bach Toccata and Fugue in F, and a Toccata, Choral and Fugue of his own composition in the tradition of Cesar Franck, a work of considerable technical difficulty. Dr. Jackson was very favorably impressed with the Cathedral instrument, and he employed the impressive State Trumpet rank in William Boyce's Voluntary in D with telling effect.

Dr. Jackson left Sidney by air on Friday afternoon for Minnesota and Pittsburgh to continue his recital tour under the auspices of the Lillian Murtagh concert management of Canaan, Connecticut.

## Burning Permits' Rules Clarified

There's been a change in information concerning burning permits.

Incinerator permits are available at North Saanich municipal office, but not at Sidney's town hall.

Permits are not required in Sidney for incinerators with lids, but they are necessary for open fires.

Permits may be obtained from fire chief Hugh Loney.

## Application Not Granted

The car of the reporter was at fault at the meeting of North Saanich council last Monday and it is necessary to correct an item which appeared in the last issue of The Review.

Contrary to the paragraph as reported, the application of D.J. Gibbs for permission to operate a temporary concession stand on the West Saanich Road was not granted by council.

## Short Piece On Long Plans

"We have a long range committee," Alderman Norma Sealey told Sidney council Monday night, "but we have no long range plans."

"We'll discuss that in committee, not here," cut in Mayor Freeman.

CENTENNIAL MEMO -- The militia was called out when miners went on strike at Wellington in 1877.

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But don't wait! There are only two weeks left for applications to be turned in. And right now no one has applied.

"We're not worried that we won't have the girls out," said Mrs. Day, "but I do hope they apply soon."

"There will be three different improvement courses during the two weeks prior to the June 2 judging, so time is running out."

The courses will deal with modelling, public speaking and make-up.

The current queen, Sheila Harrison, had described her year as queen as "a ball". Her two princesses, Julie Cox and Linda Wilson also commented on how enjoyable their year has been.

In addition to the previously mentioned activities, they were guests of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club for its winter race, they were given a half-hour flying lesson by the Victoria Flying Club and they are to be guests of the Sunset Riding Club when the club goes on a trail ride in the area shortly.

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## Rock Display in Library Draws Favorable Comment

Regular monthly meeting of the Sidney Rock Club was held Thursday evening in St. Andrews Hall, with a good attendance of members and two guests. Owing to the absence of the president the meeting was opened by the vice-president, Bert Ward.

Following routine business it was decided by the Club to enter two cases of rock specimens in the Saanich Fair in September. The cases of Artifacts that was placed in the Sidney Library drew much comment, and it has been now replaced with an exhibit of Petrified wood, Dinosaurs bone, Halite and Sunstone.

It was suggested that a new book, "Gem Claving," be purchased for the club library. The Canadian Rockhound Magazine, to which we have now become subscribers, was on display, and in the next issue in June, we expect to see mention of our own local Club.

The door prize donated by Mr. and Mrs. W. Baillie, was won by Mrs. Bert Ward, the lucky ticket being selected by Mrs. W. Wing.

The remainder of the meeting was given over to an informal talk on "The Wanderings of a still looking for a long, flat trail which will be available for three days prior to Victoria Day.

Mr. Spear, a Sidney municipal employee, has been granted two days off work to see to the construction of the float. Sidney town council also contributed \$50 to the cost of the float.

Geologist" by Mr. Jefferies of the Victoria mines department. He illustrated with slides the Diamond and Asbestos mines in Africa and Rhodesia and showed us rock formations around Butte Lake and through Alaska.

A vote of thanks was given the speaker, after which refreshments were served and a social half hour followed.

## Critical Of Road Naming

North Saanich council and The Review were taken to task by Capt. D.H. McKay of Boas Road in a communication read at Monday evening's council meeting. He objected to Reeve J.B. Cumming's mention of the naming of Boas Road at the last meeting and chided The Review for printing what the Reeve had said.

"Mr. Boas did not request that the road be given his name and, in fact, had nothing whatsoever to do with such naming, declared Captain McKay.

"There was nothing derogatory said in this council chamber about Mr. Boas and no exception can be taken by Captain McKay or anyone else. Moreover there can be no criticism of the reporting by the newspaper," declared Reeve J.B. Cumming.

Councillor Neil North noted that Andrew Boas was a well respected member of the community and there was general agreement with her view. The letter was received and filed.

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## Council Agrees To New Zoning By-Law

Central Saanich's new zoning by-law will likely be given its first readings at the meeting of council on May 15.

Council last Monday declined to make any further variation of the provisions of the by-law as requested in a further brief from East Central Saanich Home-owners' Association, represented at the meeting by the chairman, Eric Lewis, John D. Tisdalle, M.L.A., D.C. Stephenson and Clifford E. Lee.

"Passage of the by-law will not close the door to further consideration of submissions after the by-law becomes effective," said acting-Reeve C.W. Mollard, and the brief was put on file together with a further sheet of relevant correspondence received subsequent to the public hearing.

Brief of the Association acknowledged council's decision to cancel industrial zoning in the Saanichton Bay area, substituting 'commercial-recreation', and the removal of 'licensed premises' from the permitted uses.

Purpose of the new brief was a request to remove 'marina use' because of further considerations that were disclosed.

It was argued that human wastes associated with marinas cannot be dissipated, and that tidal currents are such that debris would not be carried out to sea. The danger of dumping raw sewage, and the fear that shellfish would be polluted were other reasons submitted for council's consideration.

"Extension of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club near Canoe Cove, and the new development

## Mrs. Tanner Is Laid To Rest

Funeral services were held in Hayward's Funeral Chapel last Tuesday for Mrs. Blanch Tanner of 1106 Lyall Road, Saanichton, who died in Victoria on April 29 at the age of 63 years.

Surviving are her husband Richard Tanner at the home address, daughter, Marie Breitenbach, Central Saanich, and son Douglas Richard Tanner of Victoria; a sister, Mrs. Vera Joyce, Victoria, brother, Tom Davidson, Ladysmith, and two grandchildren. She was a member of the Pythian Sisters and of the Eastern Star.

Rev. R.J.D. Morris officiated and at the interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

for the Capital City Yacht Club in Blue Heron Bay, and the application for an additional marina adjacent thereto, would suggest that a maximum of possible beach contamination is imminent and further extension of such facilities is not in the public interest," it was stated.

### MORALS

Mr. Tisdalle referred to an earlier statement in council to the effect that council is morally committed to marina zoning.

"There really is no reason why council should be morally committed; the obligation should be to all taxpayers," said Mr. Tisdalle. He urged that, "in the absence of a master sewerage installation, the area can be best developed in accordance with the approved plan for the Turgoose sub-division."

"Pollution of the beaches is not just imagination. Fishheads from the Sidney wharf are washed

## Donations Accepted By Saanich Credit Union

Saanich Peninsula Credit Union is participating in encouragement of a drive to raise money for the Kuper Island students whose trip to Expo was at one time a certainty, but now is doubtful.

"Our four branches will be open to anyone wishing to donate to the fund being organized for the students," Norman Shillitto, manager of the Saanich Credit Union, told The Review this week.

"About \$10,000 is needed," he said.

The special fund is being organized by the Vancouver Island Travelling Federation of the Federate Indians Organization, and credit union offices in Duncan and Nanaimo, as well as Saanich have agreed to accept

up on the beach now, and the same nuisance can develop from marinas," observed Colonel Stephenson.

Following withdrawal of the delegation Councillor T.G. Michell said "I think we have been very fair to these people. I do not think there could be a large development here because of the shallow depth of the water."

Councillor Mrs. M.E. Salt said that she knew of two people interested in a small marina operation.

Motion of Councillor A.M. Galbraith and Councillor Michell that the brief be placed with other applications for consideration at a later date was passed unanimously.

## CENTRAL SAANICH

leaving shortly for a visit to Expo in Montreal.

Captain G. Hansen, East Saanich Rd., is a patient in Resthaven Hospital.

Mrs. J. Bryce, Oldfield Rd., returned to her home on Saturday after spending the past two weeks at Blue River B.C. with her son-in-law and daughter (Jean), Mr. and Mrs. Don Gore, and little grandson David.

Mrs. F. Knight, Rudolph Rd., is leaving on May 14 by plane for England. She also plans to tour Europe, the highlight of which will be a visit to Germany, the land of her birth, after an absence of 38 years. Mrs. Knight spent her childhood and took most of her schooling in Germany and this will be her first visit to her homeland since she left it so many years ago.

Maraget, Sharon and Harvey Erickson, Bellingham, Wash., spent the weekend with their uncle, aunt and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. G. Doney and family, Doney Road.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Farrell, Simpson Rd., had, as weekend guest, Wallace Caldwell, Valleyview, Alberta, his sister, Mrs. J. Radosevic, and his daughter, Miss Susan Caldwell, both of Vancouver.

the money for the fund. The four branches of the Saanich Credit Union are located at Sidney, Brentwood Bay, Royal Oak, and Salt Spring Island.

The students are members of the marching pipe band from Kuper Island Residential School near Chemainus.

"All donations will be tax-deductible," added Mr. Shillitto.

### SAANICHTON

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dudman, long-time residents of Rudolph Road, have sold their property for a subdivision, and plan to travel for the next year, before making any definite decisions about their future.

Winners at the south Saanich Women's Institute card party on Wednesday April 26 were Mrs. H.F. Young, Mrs. G. Hansen, W. Hemens and C. Mullin. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. W. Wills and Mrs. H.F. Young. Due to the arrival of Daylight Saving Time, the Institute members decided to make the card party of Wednesday May 10 the final one of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cook, formerly of Glidden Rd., and for the past seven years residents of Rudolph Rd., have sold their home and acreage and have purchased a home on Richardson St. in Victoria. Their son John, who is in business with his father, is

## BRENTWOOD

All the young friends of Ronnie Sluggett will be pleased to learn that he is now well on the way to recovery after his serious accident recently, and is enjoying life in a wheelchair at the Jubilee Hospital.

One of Brentwood's most popular spring events will be held on Saturday, May 6, when the Brentwood College Memorial Chapel A.C.W. hold their annual Dogwood Tea in the Women's Institute Hall, West Saanich Road.

The tea will be opened at two o'clock, and guests will be received by the president, Miss Esther Howard, and Mrs. E.H. Maddocks. Conveners of the stalls are Mrs. Alan Hutchinson, home cooking; Mrs. J.P. MacFarlane, needlework and gifts; Miss Isobel Howard, books and miscellaneous; and Mrs. F. O. Wollaston, plants and garden. A novelty stall is being convened

by the Evening Branch, who are also convening the tea.

The Brentwood Women's Institute met on Tuesday, April 25. Plans for their next meeting to be held on Tuesday, May 9, were made, and Mrs. E.H. Maddocks will show slides of her recent trip to Britain. Interested visitors are most welcome. The short business meeting will start at two o'clock, and it is suggested that visitors might arrive at two-thirty.

## SCHOOL BUDGET

### IS RECEIVED

Requisition of Saanich School District for \$287,888 as North Saanich's share of operation of schools this year was received by council on Monday evening. The demand was referred to the finance committee. Reeve J.B. Cumming intimated that a special meeting may have to be called to wind up the annual budget.

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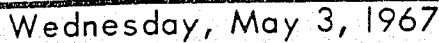
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## Travel Group Will Visit Gulf Islands

Travel's significant group of the most eager to assemble in British Columbia will visit the Gulf Islands on May 5th. A total of 34 of the top travel editors and T.V. production crews drawn primarily from Washington, Oregon, and California, will visit Salt Spring, Galiano and View, as part of a six-day, province-wide trip, exposing 1,000 miles of vacation opportunities. The trip, via motor coach and ferry, is designated the Blue Water Press Tour, and is jointly sponsored by the Travel Bureau of the department of travel industry, the B.C. Ferry Authority, and Vancouver Island Coach Lines, of Victoria.

Leading the party of 41 persons is John Buckley, assistant director of the travel bureau, who pointed out that the tour's Blue Water theme emphasises resort activities surrounding British Columbia's magnificent waterways. Among them, of course, the scenic ferry cruise through the Gulf Islands.

Accompanying Mr. Buckley will be sponsor representatives Robert J. Innes, sales and promotion manager of B.C. Ferries, and Victor A. Downard, traffic manager of Vancouver Island Coach Lines.

Highlight of the day will be a major stop on Salt Spring Island, at the Booth Bay Resort, and brief visits to Mayne and Galiano.

Key Island residents working closely with tour organizers for the visit are Mary Backlund, of Galiano, director for the Gulf Islands zone of Vancouver Island Publicity Bureau, and Tom Portlock, Salt Spring Island, vice-president of Salt Spring Chamber of Commerce.

Already travelling with the tour will be columnists Himie Koshevoy of the Vancouver Province, Don Duncan of the Seattle Times, Dick Fagan of the Oregon Journal, and Alan Jay of the New Westminster Canadian.

Travel editors include Bob Davis, Seattle Post-Intelligencer; E.H. Bartlett, Toronto Globe and Mail; Andre Boily, La Presse; Dave Carrington, Dallas Times-Herald; Mel Little, Orange County (Calif.) Evening News; of Garden Grove; John Alexander, The Santa Barbara News-Press; Al Booze, Tacoma News-Tribune; John Robinson, The Hamilton Spectator; Lloyd Spence, Everett Herald; Duke Butler, Pasadena Independent, Star News; and Frank Riley, Los Angeles Magazine.

Also aboard will be Dorothy Wrotnoski, women's editor of Victoria Daily Colonist; Nancy Davidson, northwest editor, Sunset Magazine, Seattle; Don Johnson, features editor, the Oakland Tribune; Igor Lobanov, travel writer, MotorLand Magazine, San Francisco; John

Gartner, editor, Western Outdoors Magazine, Santa Ana; Art Robinson, travel writer, Edmonton Journal; John Mika, legislative reporter, Victoria Daily Times; Dolly Connelly correspondent, Los Angeles Times; "West" magazine, Bellingham; Sid King, editor, the Oregon Motorist, and correspondent for The Oregonian, Portland.

Television personnel will include producer Ed Lackner and cameraman Willard Hatch (of the prize-winning "Exploration Northwest") show of K.O.M.C. TV, Seattle; Wolfgang Bayer, of Bill Burrud Productions of Los Angeles.

Still photographers will be Don Normark of Sunset Magazine, Seattle, and Henry Tregillies of Graphic Industries, Ltd., of Vancouver, who will act as pool photographer for the travel writers.

The entire party will be accompanied by representatives of the James Lovick Ltd. advertising agency, of Vancouver.

## GANGES

L. Armstrong, chairman of Gulf Islands School Board, Mrs. John R. Sturdy, secretary, and J.M. Campbell, 1st vice-president of B.C. School Trustees Association, held a seminar at Parksville, April 28, 29, and 30.

Mrs. S.J. Leach, Alberni, was a visitor last week of Mrs. and Mrs. Harry Newman, Sharpe Road.

Captain and Mrs. W.G. Stone, Scott Road were visitors last week of their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dillon, Lions Bay, West Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. M.B. East of St. Mary's Lake, Ganges announce the forthcoming marriage of their youngest daughter Karen Marie, to Cameron Alan Cartwright, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cartwright, North Beach Road, the wedding to take place at 3 p.m. on May 20 at St. Mark's Church.

F.W. Kirkham and P.R. Bingham (Branch 92) Royal Canadian Legion have been selected as delegates to attend the Provincial Command Convention to be held in Kelowna May 5 to 10. Mrs. Walter James, accompanied by her daughters Mrs. C.R. Horel and Mrs. Bernice Fischer left last Sunday for a month's holiday in England visiting relatives.

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# THE GULF ISLANDS

## PENDER

Mr. and Mrs. Kynaston have their daughter with her husband and two children, Denis and Joan, visiting from Ladner B.C.

Dr. and Mrs. Foote are on the island to open up their summer home.

Mrs. B. Geisbrecht just returned from attending the annual spring conference of the Bible Institute, at Prairie, Alberta. She was happy to renew acquaintance with many old friends there.

Mrs. E. Cussey, who has spent the winter in her Vancouver home, has returned to her house in Armadale for the summer months.

Harry Johnson had an accident while using his power-saw, and had to go in to Rest Haven hospital for a couple of days, but he is now home again.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Peter's had their April meeting on the 28th., at the home of Mrs. G.B. Stevens. There were 16 members present. Mrs. M.E. Coleman was co-hostess. Mrs. R.G. Straker gave an interesting reading on South Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh England and family from Vancouver are at Ridgeholme.

Mrs. L. Nofield is in Victoria visiting relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Stiggins from Vancouver are at Pender for the week-end.

Leif Odeen is a patient in the Jubilee hospital, having unfortunately sustained a fractured hip.

Miss Brigid Garner and Alan Menzies, from Galiano, were

## WILL VISIT SATURNA

The recent meeting of the Victoria Hand Weavers' Guild was well attended and final plans were made for the birthday party on Saturna Island. Members were reminded to get their finished weaving to the standards committee by May 24th at the latest. The Vice President and Secretary showed some rather interesting results of their tie and dye methods, which was followed by a question and answer period on various aspects of weaving.

## SOUTH PENDER

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Hutton have returned after spending a week in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Renaud spent a few days in their cottage, from their home in Vancouver.

Mrs. Eve Smith was in Vancouver for a few days taking part in the Voice of Women conference there.

house-guests at Mr. and Mrs. Max Allan's home.

Mrs. Hollis has returned to her island home after visiting friends in Vancouver.

Mrs. E.G. Fralic is somewhat on the island after a somewhat prolonged treatment in hospital. She is much improved.

Mrs. A.R. Gray is also home again after hospitalization, and is convalescing.

## GALIANO

All Gulf Islands residents will be sorry to hear that Captain Norman Fiander, of the "Queen of the Islands", suffered a heart attack on Thursday, April 20th., at his home at Ganges. He is at present in Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hardcastle, of Vancouver, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Len Rawluk. Capt. and Mrs. I.G. Denroche have returned to their home on the island after a trip to Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Twiss spent several days on the mainland last week.

Mrs. Alma Smaback, of New Westminster, came over to visit her sister, Mrs. Esther Hofstetler, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ennet Sater, and also brother Ken Sater and his family, Ole and Ivor Sater. Alma was accompanied by her daughter, Ethel, Mrs. W. Elder, of Port Coquitlam, who has not been on Galiano, her former home, for 11 years.

Sixty Lions from Langley came over for the day last Sunday, to enjoy a barbecue and visit at Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pearce's home on Galiano. They commute to and from Langley for holidays.

Don Robson, who has recently returned from a trip to Hawaii, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.E. Robson, last Sunday. Fred Robson went back to Vancouver with his son on Sunday morning, and back to Galiano Monday night. This is the age of jet

## Fulford Tea Raises \$101

Proceeds from the Fulford W.I.-sponsored tea and sale of home cooking and plant stall, and special draw prizes, netted the sum of \$101, on Friday afternoon in the Fulford Hall.

The tea was opened by Mrs. J. Byron Sr. of Ganges who was introduced by W.I. president Mrs. Michael Gyves, and presented with a corsage.

Mrs. W.H.R. Low and Mrs. Gyves were in charge of the home cooking stall, Mrs. Albert Davis handled the plants, and Mrs. Art Moulton, Mrs. J.R. Geer and Mrs. McManus Sr. convened the tea. Other members helped wherever they were needed, with Mrs. W.Y. Stewart selling tea tickets at the door.

A donation from Mrs. J. Byron Sr., of Ganges, was gratefully received. Mrs. Byron always sees that the W.I. have a poppy wreath on display for Remembrance Day, November 11, at the parade. She never forgets 'the boys'.

Mrs. Byron is being invited to open the W.I. Tea on the 28th. Plans were made to help with the May Day parade and field day at Fulford, which is sponsored by the Fulford Athletic and Fulford Hall committees. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ronnie Lee, on May 12, instead of the usual Thursday.

travel, when all of these things are possible, and a constant source of wonder to those who took all day to travel in a small boat to Sidney not too long ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Day have received word from son, Donald, who is on a trip around the world by freighter. He is presently

## MAYNE

Visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Stansfield, Bennett Bay, Mr. and Mrs. G. Morrison of Vancouver with 30 members of the Youth Fellowship Group in Vancouver. This was a retreat week-end for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Carpenter are back on the island after several weeks in Vancouver. Kay says her mother is recuperating satisfactorily from injuries she sustained in a car accident recently. She will be several months in a wheel chair after her discharge from hospital.

Clara Imrie's father, Mr. Goodall has been re-admitted to Lady Minto Hospital in Ganges.

A recent guest of the Bill Piggott was Effie's sister, Mrs. Nan Stewart of Tsawwassen. Effie has received the news that her niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nelson of Glasgow, Scotland are celebrating the arrival of a baby boy born on Sandy's birthday.

Mrs. Nesta Hall spent a week in Victoria recently visiting daughter Julie. Taking care of things in her absence was daughter Nancy.

Visiting the Johnnie Angus' on Laura Point Road recently were Mrs. C. Thompson and Jim Rogers of Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan hale of Vancouver spent a few days last week at the home of Mrs. Hale's parents, Roy and Sophie Betts, Fernhill Rd.

Mrs. Fred Dodds has returned to the island after spending the winter in Santa Anna, Cal. Visiting the Dodds this week-end was grandson David DeWolfe of Vancouver.

The Mayne Island which was built by volunteer labor, material supplied by the Improvement District, is now finished. For those who do not know its location, the building is directly north of the Agricultural Hall. Islanders are grateful to those who contributed time and effort to this worthy cause.

A bouquet also to Tommy Burgess who has been painting and refurbishing the waiting room at Village Bay. He also keeps the roadside clean and tidy with the

## KELLY'S CORNER

### On The Island Of Saturna

Well, Saturna is a community with hustle and bustle. There have been meetings and more meetings, dinners for the Centennial Committee, workbees for the park, dinner for the church basement, barbecue committee meetings, Women's Club meetings, and Community Club meetings! Nothing further to report on that Cross Canada trip for the youngsters, but as soon as something turns up, I'll let you know.

All this talk about L.S.D. and other drugs, it makes you wonder. They say there's far more of a problem with alcohol. The cause and the cures are intricate and the very society that frowns upon abnormal cravings has been upon the spawning ground for these outlets of frustration. We all tend to become depressed and disenchanted at times, but never to the degree that we can't cope with it, and it's usually only a fleeting mood.

However, there are people in this world who for one or more reasons haven't the strength to cope with depression and/or frustration. For these people, have pity. None of us has the right to judge our fellow man, for no human being is totally invulnerable to stress. Take a look at our youth. The school has taken on more and more of

in Panama, thence to Africa, Singapore, and Japan. Their guests for the past week have been; Miss Anne Keastley, Vancouver; Miss Anne Keastley, Vancouver; and Catharine, Mrs. C. Webb, and Bud's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Day, of Victoria.

aid of shiny new trash cans. Complaints have come in regarding the picking of the flowers bordering the Village bay road. The persons responsible do not realize these are not wild flowers. They were planted there by the late Dalton Deacon for the enjoyment of islanders and visitors. The committee in charge of the roadside beautification and planting Bee hope their efforts do not suffer the same treatment.

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## Pensioners' Tea Sale

The Ganges branch of the Old Age Pensioners' Organization held a successful bake sale on Thursday, April 20th, in St. George's Hall.

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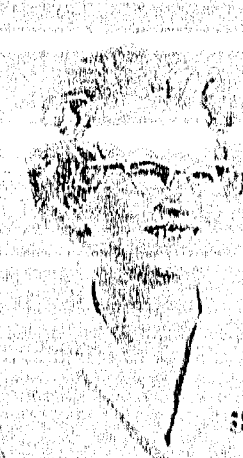
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## WARM WELCOME FOR EMPEROR

By BERT GREEN

Although his stay on Vancouver Island was of such short duration, very few notable visitors have experienced a welcome of more genuine warmth than was given last week to the Emperor Haile Selassie, the Lion of Judah, who traces direct descent from the dynasty of Menelik I, son of the Queen of Sheba and King Solomon of Jerusalem.

Haile Selassie became a world figure in 1935, when it was Mussolini's ambition to extend his African empire. His furious attack on Ethiopia met with brave resistance, but the might of air power, armour, and the unscrupulous use of mustard gas made the conquest a foregone conclusion.

The Emperor finally made his escape to the coast and fled in a British cruiser. On June 29 of that year he appeared personally before the League of Nations in session in Geneva in spite of Italian moves to bar him from the assembly.

His heroic defence of honor and country brought him no redress the act of aggression had been countenanced. His response to the assembly was brief but historic: "God and history will remember your judgment," he declared, before retiring to Britain in exile.

Cruelly wronged, profoundly disillusioned and disappointed, Haile Selassie found refuge in England, where he lived in exile until after the liberation of his country by British, South African and Indian troops in the Spring of 1941.

Haile Selassie chose the City of Bath as his temporary home, occupying with his entourage a dignified mansion standing in spacious grounds and enjoying every privacy. It was from this quiet refuge that he watched events and the fatal policy of appeasement that a few years later unleashed the dogs of war and set the world aflame.

### RECEPTION

As a Bathonian, and one who much later had played a small part in the ultimate disposal of his property in Bath, I was pleased to accept the opportunity of an audience with the Emperor

at the reception given in His Honor by Lieutenant-Governor George Peakes, V.C., at Government House last Wednesday evening.

His Majesty had flown from Los Angeles to the airport at Sidney that morning and had been subjected to the full routine of an official welcome and a state dinner. None the less, he was still ready to stand to receive those who were presented to him although it was past 10 p.m. at the commencement of the reception.

At the age of 75, and of small stature and slender physique, he stood firm and erect. His glance was steady and welcoming, and his handshake warm and cordial. We talked of his years in Bath but not of the circumstances of his exile. "The people of Bath were so very kind, I do not forget. I am very grateful indeed to the people of Britain," said His Majesty.

He was interested and evidently pleased to recall the gratitude of Bath citizens, when some years ago he generously had deeded the mansion and property to the City as an act of recognition.

The formal transfer of title deeds was the occasion of a civic luncheon given by the Mayor and Corporation and attended by the Emperor's representatives from the embassy in London. Actually the event coincided with a period spent by myself as personal assistant to the solicitor who had handled the arrangements, and whose father had been the Emperor's legal adviser during the years of exile.

Keenly perceptive and unswerving in resolution, this enlightened monarch is now fully restored to his exalted throne, with added dignity and a world commanding respect.

Remote and shrouded in mystery for many centuries, Ethiopia may be said to have emerged from its state of isolation since Haile Selassie came to the throne in 1930. It was he who gave practical encouragement to the medical mission established in his country by the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

The Empress Zaditu Memorial Hospital in Addis Ababa is

the main foundation of the Church's work in Ethiopia, and it is also a valuable school of nursing. There are several other missionary and educational establishments of that Church in various parts of the country.

The story of the mission, and of the drama of the Italian conquest and occupation is vividly related by Herbert and Della Hanson in their book "For God and Emperor". While Herbert was engaged in teaching duties a few miles from the capital, Della was for 14 years the trusted executive in the royal palace who directed the preparation of royal weddings and banquets and the arrangements for the entertainment of visitors to the palace.

To a great extent she assisted the royal family to re-establish a government which had been shattered by the war, while her husband developed a school for young Ethiopians, developing Christian principles side by side with manual training.

It is a remarkable story, and as well as record of an ancient and strange civilization. For all its tragic wartime consequences it is not without humour, as the following extract will illustrate:

"It would be hard to imagine a more unilitary conquest of any city than that of Addis Ababa by the British and South African troops on April 6, 1941. One would have expected tanks and cannon to spearhead the victory parade, but they were absent.

"We stood on the street to watch the might of the conquerors, but all we saw was a few cars carrying men who appeared to be unarmed. Fords, Chevrolets, and ever other kind of gasoline-driven vehicle came down the street on the left side, forcing all oncoming cars to drive on the left, too, and the English traffic pattern has stayed ever since."

It is a far cry now to the remote past when, according to the historian Josephus, the Egyptian Pharaoh persuaded Moses to lead his army against the Ethiopians in the days before Exodus.

## Fulford Hall Executive Re-Elected

At the annual meeting of the Fulford Hall on Thursday, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Akerman, the present committee were re-elected to office for another year.

They include Mrs. Mike Gyves, president; Jack Roland, vice-president; Mrs. Fred Hollings, secretary; Mrs. Ellen Bennett, treasurer; Mrs. Art Moulton and Bob Akerman are on the committee with three new members, Mrs. R. Akerman, Mrs. Robert Patterson and Mr. Roy Lee.

Miss Bea Hamilton took the chair for the election of officers. Mr. Akerman spoke of the work being done to the new entrance to the Hall, under the winter works program, which ends this week-end.

"We will be discontinuing work until next autumn," he said, "except for some voluntary labor which several have kindly offered to do. The plumbing is in and a temporary floor is down; the furnace has been connected and the corners have all been rounded, which is better for the hockey matches."

The new part of the building will be in use during the summer and will be ready when the hockey season opens in winter.

A number of generous donations have come from organizations and from private residents. The Hall Committee have decided to start a canvass for funds next Saturday, taking in the whole Island. The whole project of the Hall will cost well over \$15,000 and the Committee have set their objective to \$15,000.

The specially coated hard floor of the hall can take the rough play of the roller skates and children and students. Adults and many visitors, use the hall afternoons and evenings.

The league hockey games are growing more popular and the children's roller skating is giving many of the youngsters from all over the island, healthful exercises.

The new entrance, with its roomy facilities, will be a welcome change for all sports and activities.

May Day for Salt Spring Island this year will be on Saturday, May 20. The Hall committee are planning a parade and all that goes with it, complete with

May Queen.

The three students from the High School, Sharin Stevens, Grade 10; Laura Rozanno, Grade 11 and Betty Riddell, Grade 12, are candidates for honors and the voting is going on with growing excitement.

The student netting the highest score will be named Queen at the May Day celebrations. A Royal Ball will follow the fete on Saturday evening, where the May Queen and Princesses will preside.

## \$250 Raised

### At Ganges Tea

On Wednesday afternoon, April 26, a tea was held at the home of Lieut. Col. Desmond Crofton and Mrs. Crofton in aid of the Primate World Relief Fund.

The tea was sponsored by St. Mark's Chancel Guild.

Col. Crofton greeted the guests and called upon the rector, Ven. Doctor R.B. Horsfield, to present a deep gold freesia corsage to Mrs. L.F. Nicholson, convenor of the very successful afternoon. Mrs. Douglas Wilson and Mrs. Dennis Seward were co-convenors.

The guests were received by the rector's wife, Mrs. Horsfield, and Mrs. John R. Sturdy, president of St. Mark's Chancel Guild.

St. Mary's Guild, Fulford, were in charge of the home cooking stall which was conveyed by Mrs. F.L. Jackson and raised \$35.00 towards the funds.

The beautifully appointed tea table was covered with an embroidered eyelet linen tea cloth centred with a silver bowl of yellow and white tulips, daffodils, and artensisa, flanked by yellow tapers in silver candle-bras.

Mrs. P.G. James was responsible for the attractive floral arrangements.

Pouring tea during the afternoon were Mrs. Cecil Springford, Mrs. F.L. Jackson, Mrs. V.C. Best, Mrs. E.W. MacQuarrie, Mrs. Gilpin, Mrs. C.F. Yzerman, Mrs. Fletcher Bennett, and Mrs. R.T. Cook.

Serving tea were Mrs. J.B. Acland, Mrs. F.I. Atkins, Mrs. H. Stafford, Mrs. Graham Shove, Mrs. Douglas Wilson, Mrs. Denis Seward, Mrs. T.B. Guernsey, Mrs. Howard Deyell, Mrs. Hugh Ross,

## Joan Gardner Honored Guest

Mrs. E. Clarke and Mrs. N.J. Williams entertained recently at Mrs. Williams' Chalet Road home at a luncheon in honor of Miss Joan Gardner, bride-elect, of this month. Miscellaneous gifts were presented.

Upon her arrival, the guest of honor received a corsage.

Invited guests included Mrs. W.W. Gardner, mother of the bride, Mrs. L. Hillism Mrs. O. Thomas, Mrs. S. Roberts, Mrs. F. Storey, Mrs. D. Locke, Mrs. L. Jordan, Mrs. R. Dunlop, Mrs. H. Trouill, Mrs. R. Gardner, Mrs. B. Brackenbury, Mrs. A. Slater, Mrs. H. Ridge, and Mrs. F. Atkin.

## Sidney Super Mart Wins Bowling Prize

Bank of Montreal Cup for the top bowling team in the three sections of the Sidney Commercial Bowling League went to Sidney Super Market's team, composed of Norm West, captain, Vera West, Kaye Sparks, Fred Sparks and Ed Breckenridge. It was presented by Don Smith, manager of the Sidney branch of the Bank of Montreal.

Trophy for the second team was won by Queen's Pay Less, and includes David Parlyb, Barrie Lawton, Bob Jones, Muriel Frew,

and Jane Williams. The award, the Air Lines Trophy, was presented by Harvey Currie in the absence of Mr. Weit, manager of Air Canada.

The other four top teams in the season's play were Sidney Lanes and D.O.T. Workshop of section "A", Ron Cooper Trucking of section "B", and Immigration of section "C".

Winner of the consolation round was the Shade Brothers team consisting of Bill Hill, Jack Little, Murray Giles, Barb Erickson, Jan Coward and Doris Hill.

Flowers for decoration at the banquet were presented by Geoff Vantrigh and Ken Warner's band played for the dance following the banquet and presentation.

## Centennial Bonfire

### Enjoyed By Everyone

North Saanich Recreation Commission's Centennial Bonfire at Wain Park last Saturday was officially opened by Councilor F.C. Adams of North Saanich.

In an opening address Mr. Adams welcomed the gathering and quoted a beautiful poem in honor of our first citizens. He introduced Henry Horth, youngest grandson of Henry Wain, after whom the park was named in 1958.

Mr. Horth lit the huge bonfire in memory of the early pioneers, and the school children sang the Canadian Centennial Song. The Whale Singers entertained all afternoon and led the community singing.

Judges for the national costumes were Mrs. Nell Horth, Mrs. D.R. Cook, and Chief Don Williams. Chief Williams had planned to attend in full Indian dress but unfortunately he was called away on business earlier in the day.

and Mrs. O.L. Stanton.

Mrs. G.B. Young was in charge of the silver collection.

Approximately \$250 was raised during the afternoon for this worthy cause.

Mrs. Sturdy, on behalf of St. Mark's Guild, wishes to thank all denominations who attended, all those who contributed so generously, and special thanks to Col. Crofton for the kind use of his home for the enjoyable afternoon.

Winners were as follows: pre-school girls, Jerri Lord; grades 1 - 4, Joanne Harrison, Pamela Corbett, Tamsen Chandler, Phillipa Lawrence; grades 5 - 7, June Caldwell, Lilian McNeil, Taffy George, Peter Chandler; adults, Jean Cumming, Florence Smith and Clyde Cumming. Prizes for special Indian dress went to Kelly Temblett and Carl Fraser.

The children enjoyed roasting weiners and marshmallows, and buns, soft drinks and coffee added to the pleasure.

Those who worked to make the day a success included St. John's Church, Boy Scouts, Whale Singers, Gordon Barkley, Ken Soles, Mrs. G. Barkley and Mrs. A.W. Smith.

## AGED SIDNEY MAN PASSES

A native of Bristol, England and a resident of Sidney for the past 11 years, Edward Samuel Bean died at Rest Haven Hospital on April 29 at the age of 83 years. Formerly of Leney,

Saskatchewan, he had resided at 10421 Resthaven Drive. He is survived by his son, Phil Bevan of Sidney, and daughter, Mrs. Marion Connacher, of New Westminster, a sister in England, and also six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was a member of Sidney Branch No. 25, O.A.P.A.

Services were held in the Sands Funeral Chapel of Roses, Sidney, on May 1, the Rev. Canon F.C. Vaughan-Birch officiating. Interment was at Leney.

### BRIDGE RESULTS

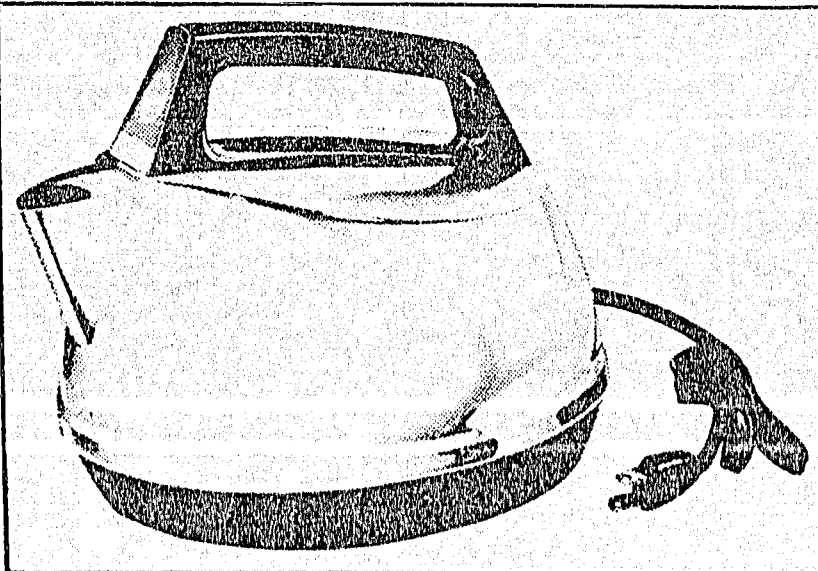
Weekly bridge tournament was held in St. Andrew's Hall, Second St. on Monday evening May 1, with the following as winners; 2, - Mrs. Rivers and Mrs. Hellyer; 2, - C. Skinner and D. C. Dickeson; 3, - Mr. and Mrs. D. Butler. Due to regional games being held in Victoria the May 8 tournament has been cancelled.

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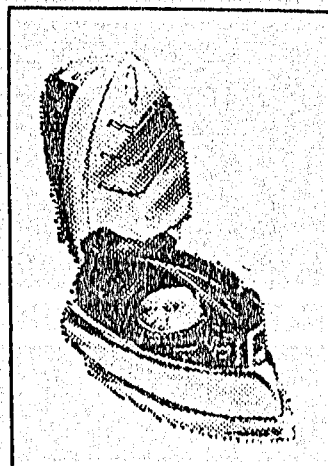
## Case Dismissed

It just wasn't so. Through mixed-up type in last week's Review under Court News, it appeared to some readers that Cpl. Harry Chambers, head of the Sidney detachment of the RCMP, had been given a 30-day suspended sentence for being a minor in possession of liquor. Cpl. Chambers is not a minor. Nor, as far as is known, has he been charged with being in possession of liquor. Case dismissed.

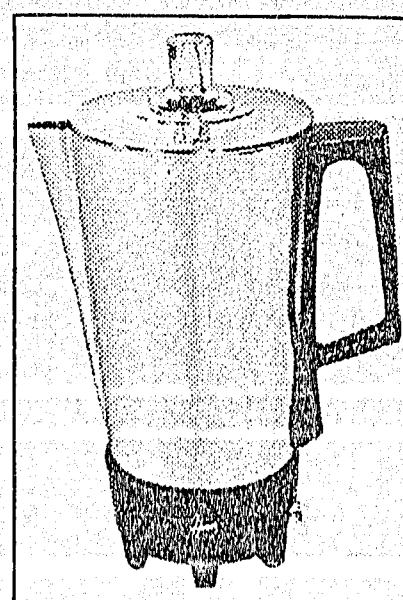
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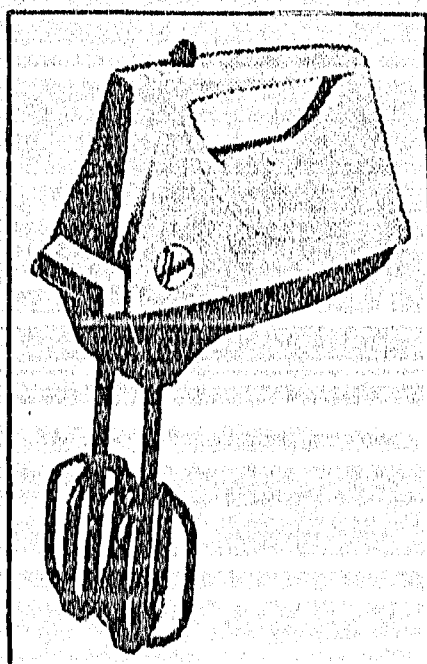
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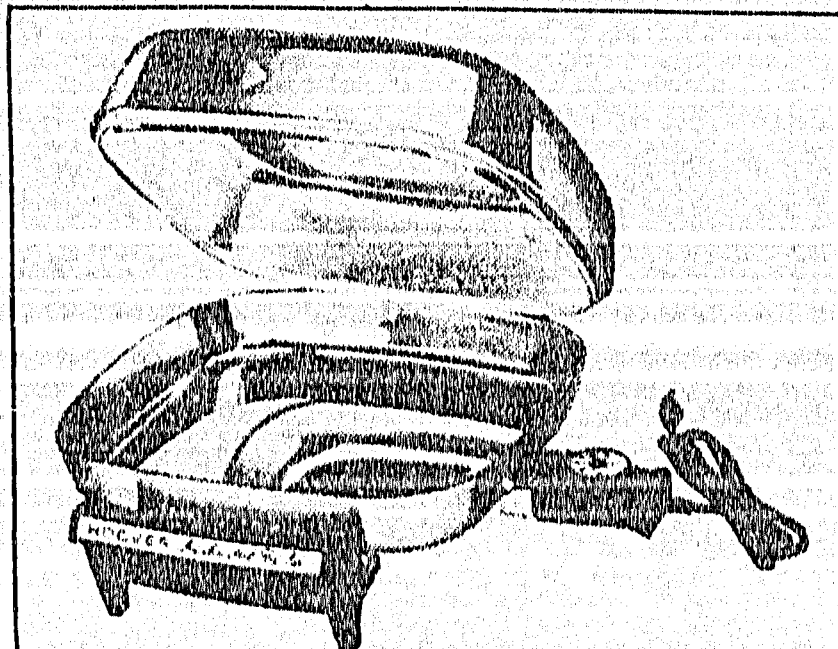
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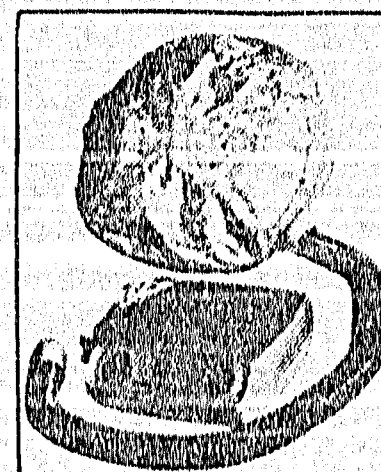
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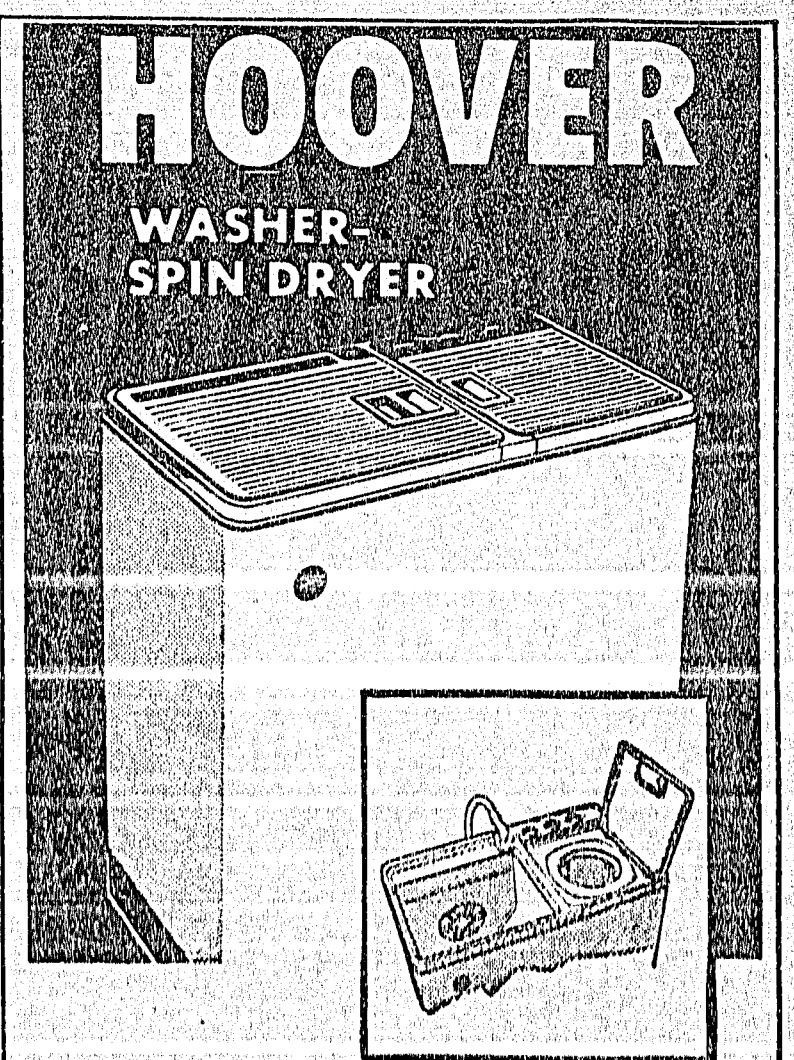
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## Rest Haven To Display New Cardiac Equipment

Most of the important aspects of civilization have been memorialized in some way or another, and the dedication of a specific day to the remembrance of a particular event has been one of the most common means of recall.

On May 12, which is National Hospital Day, there will be celebrated the endless array of diverse and increasing services which hospitals give to the nation. May 12 has been chosen because it is the birthday of Florence Nightingale who is generally regarded as the founder and inspiration in modern times for the services and idealisms of the nursing profession. Her example has been followed by tens of thousands of nursing graduates from schools all over the world, and today more and more universities are accepting the challenging role of developing the nurse equipped with advanced knowledge in a much wider field of health service and administration.

Nursing today is being transformed by the changing techniques in medicine and the development of electronic aids with which to combat disease.

This means that the field of nursing is becoming more and more a place where the most advanced abilities are needed and where young women can find a rewarding fulfillment of their ambitions.

This year at the Sidney community hospital of Rest Haven a special feature of advanced care will be inaugurated on Hospital Day. Mrs. G.R. Pearkes, wife of B.C. Lieutenant-Governor and a gracious person so well known in the Sidney district, will be present to officially open the afternoon's function which has been organized by the Women's Auxiliary to Rest Haven. There will be a sale of work and afternoon tea, and during the tours of the hospital visitors will be invited to see the latest addition for specialized care which has been developed on surgical floor. One of the rooms which has been used for general patient care up to this time has been transformed into a specialized care unit, and among the valuable equipment to be found there will be the cardiac monitoring system which is being introduced as a specialized feature into many hospitals today. The monitor which visually records the patient's heartbeat for both doctor and nurse to follow is used in the operating rooms and by the patient's bedside, and is especially valuable where medical opinion suggests that a person is a poor operative risk.

In Rest Haven's specialized unit it will be possible to monitor the cardiac patient 24 hours a day when needed, and the built in alarm system will electronically alert the nurse if any dangerous variation in heart rhythm is occurring.

After Mrs. Pearkes officially opens the proceedings of May 12 the Women's Auxiliary guides will conduct the tours which will include the special unit. All proceeds from the sale of work and the admission charge will go toward the purchase of this special heart monitoring equipment.

The W.A. to Rest Haven Hospital have been very busy preparing for this gala occasion from which it is hoped to raise at least \$1,000 and when visitors inspect these facilities on May 12 it will be the finest illustration of people working for people and revealing the interest of the community in the care of its sick.

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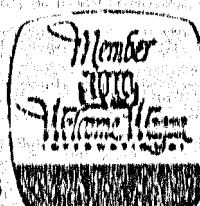
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## IN AND AROUND TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Read of Broadview, Sask. are spending a month's holiday as the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. H. Straubel, Malaview Ave. Last week they spent several days visiting at Nanaimo and Campbell River.

Commander and Mrs. J.W.C. Barclay of Chaleit Road left this week for Montreal where they will visit for three months. During their absence their residence will be occupied by Mrs. Henry Banks and her brother, Eric Barclay.

Mrs. Ruth Murphy of Edmonton is a Sidney visitor with her brother, H.M. Tobin and Mrs. Tobin.

T. Shelton, Manitou, Man., was a recent visitor at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. Shelton, James White Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Jones, Moose Jaw, Sask., renewed acquaintances in Sidney on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Veitch, returned to their home on Third St. last Sunday following a holiday spent in Port Angeles visiting relatives.

Among those from Sidney who attended the 53rd annual Rotary Conference, District 502, hosted by the Rotary Club of Ballard, Washington, were, Mr. and Mrs. F. Derry; Mr. and Mrs. F. Stenton; Mr. and Mrs. J. Crossley; Mr. and Mrs. A. Freeman; Mrs. A. Shiner; Mr. and Mrs. J. Wakefield; V. Dawson; K. Thomson; D. Smith and A. Freilove.

## Top Students

### Announced

List of honor students for the spring term at North Saanich Secondary School has been released by the principal, D.C. MacKinnon.

Each of the students named achieved an average "B" or better in the five academic subjects.

In Grade 10, the following students were named: David Cowley, Pauline Griffiths, Douglas Laird, Greg Russell, Don Wallace.

In Grade 9: Peter Bourque, Mary-Jane Cowley, Pat Downey, Sydney Drum, Lynette Fraser, Janet Graham, Bill McAfee, Nova McLeod, Sandra Porteous, Nancy Robb, Susan Tobin, and Susan Whitehouse.

In Grade 8: Robert Bushby, Betty Jeffrey, Sharon Kavanaugh, Deborah Knisely, Timothy Little, Richard Lucas, David Marshall, Marnie Ovcharik, Garry Park and John Russell.

Mrs. Stevens - Guille was the winner of the quilt and the total from the raffle and the silver collection amounted to \$152.

Miss Elizabeth Forbes stressed the point that the work being done by the Fund through various countries was helping to create a better understanding between the people of the world.

Raffle tickets for the Pender Island property are still available, the draw to take place on or before June 15.

SYMPATHETIC  
Plea for co-operation with riding clubs anxious to see trailways extended throughout North Saanich was sounded at Monday evening's council meeting by Councillor F.C. Adams. His views were received with sympathy and it was agreed to invite suggestions from the trail riders.

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## Tourist Bureau Dead Says Local Chamber

"As far as the Chamber of Commerce is concerned, the tourist bureau in Sidney is dead. We fail to see how we can continue it without financial support from council," W.J. Larnick, president of the Chamber, said Tuesday morning.

His statement followed Monday night's special council meeting in Sidney which was called to discuss the budget. During that meeting council members spoke of priorities that should be attended to before money was spent on the bureau.

"In other years, we looked after the tourist bureau, but we got a grant of \$300 from council to help us out. But it looks like we're not going to get any help this year from council," Mr. Larnick added.

"In this stage of the development of the town, we should be spending our money on what is tangible, such as public works," commented Ald. Rasmussen when the subject of the tourist bureau came up. "I don't think we

should spend money on intangibles, such as a tourist bureau."

Mayor Arthur Freeman disagreed. "It's my opinion that we should support the tourist bureau. I don't say we should spend a great deal on it, but we should support it. It is an obligation of the town's administration."

"I agree with Ald. Rasmussen," said Ald. Boshier. "We ought to put a lot of money into our inadequate roads, inadequate sewers, and inadequate sidewalks. We should embark on this before we spend elsewhere."

"Since there is not one tourist attraction in Sidney, there's little use in having a tourist bureau which will direct people into Victoria," commented Ald. W.W. Gardner.

Ald. Sealey said, "I'd rather see money spent on something of a lasting monument rather than intangible, like a tourist bureau."

## Breakwater Discussed For Port Of Sidney

Topic of a breakwater near Beacon Avenue was posed at a meeting last week in Sidney.

The meeting was called so that Dr. T.G. Howe of the federal department of transport in Vancouver could discuss the situation of small boat harbors with local officials.

Attending the meeting were Ald. H.E. Rasmussen and Ald. W.W. Gardner of Sidney, W.J. Larnick, J. Graeme and D.W. Ruffie of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Brooks and Mr. Slatt of the Victoria office of the transport department, as well as Dr. Howe.

Dr. Howe is currently on a fact-finding trip around Vancouver Island, and is to present his findings to transport minister Pickersgill.

Local officials suggested that there are two points in favor of the construction of a breakwater, namely that it would increase tourism and that it would ease the overcrowded conditions at Fishermen's Wharf.

"Up to now we haven't been able to find a way to raise the cost of constructing a breakwater," said Mr. Ruffie. "We're hoping the federal and provincial governments will help us out."

Dr. Howe commented that his department does not concern itself with the construction of breakwaters, only their administration. He said construction of these was in the hands of the public works department.

"Then we've been barking up

## WEEKLY WASH EASIER HERE

Rising cost of the weekly wash has been limited in its impact in Sidney. Victoria laundromats have recently increased the charge for a sudsy whirl from 25 cents to 35 cents.

At Sidney Laundromat, says proprietor F.W. Derry, the increase has been held to 10 cents, despite the fact that the charge for water is double the cost in Victoria.

## Margaret Lord Winner Of Public Speaking Match

Margaret Lord was the winner of Friday's public speaking contest sponsored by the Knights of Pythias' Victoria Lodge in Sidney.

The competition was open to all students in school district No. 63, but only three contestants entered the competitions.

Miss Lord was given a \$100 scholarship as her first place prize, and this fall plans to attend the University of British Columbia. Also, she will participate in the Vancouver Island finals this Saturday at Qualicum Beach.

Joan Lord, Margaret's sister, placed second, and Collina Kelly was third.

Judges were Len Parkins of Victoria, L.E.Y. James of the

## Present Sweater

Sidney Army, Navy and Air Force club has started off their centennial project with a successful supper. The project calls for the presentation of a sweater a month to a club member. The first sweater fittingly was won by Joe Richards, one of the oldest members of the club.

President Lyle Miskiman and second vice-president Cy Gillis have returned from the Vancouver quarterly convention. They were accompanied by J. Swedburg, provincial commanding officer.

Plans for the May centennial celebration are well underway with Roy White in charge. A European night is planned.

Sidney branch of the Royal Canadian Legion, and Gordon Robison of Victoria. Timekeepers were Otto Wiggins and Ken Mollet. Fred Campbell and R.H. Abbott were tellers.

Refreshments were served by the Pythian Sisters.

## Pin Presented

Mrs. C.D.T. Whitehouse, president of the McTavish Road P.T.A., presented Mrs. Langtry with a past president's pin at the April 17 meeting of the association.

The meeting also decided upon May 12 as the day for the combined sports day with Sansbury School, and Mrs. Jones gave a report on the P.T.A. council meeting.

A credit union savings plan for the students wishing to participate was discussed. And a film of the recent earthquake disaster in Alaska was shown by Mr. Anderson. This was followed by a discussion, then the meeting adjourned.

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